



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Rima Kaddurah-Daouk *et al.*

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For: Use of Creatine or Creatine Analogs for the  
Treatment of Diseases of the Nervous System

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Examiner: Mark Shibuya

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on April 20, 2006 for the above-identified patent application. A request for a appropriate extension of time and the requisite fee are filed concurrently herewith.

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